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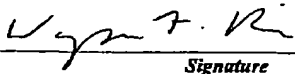

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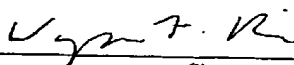

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 09/751,069  
Applicant(s): Mantena et al.  
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1. Amendment Transmittal Letter (Large Entity) (1 page) (in duplicate); and
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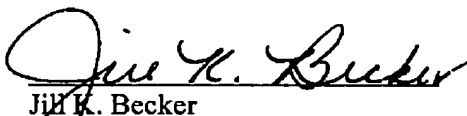
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